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ATTENTION: MEADOWS (EB/TT/OA)

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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - BALAIR CHARTERS

REF: STATE 032876

FOLLOWING TELEGRAM ADDRESSED TO JOHN MEADOWS (EB/TT/OA)
AND INFO CHARLES BUTLER (CAB) BEING SENT AT REQUEST
OF SWISS FEDERAL AIR OFFICE. QUOTE. RE APPLICATION
RULES OF ORIGINATING COUNTRY. I UNDERSTOOD FROM DISCUSSION MARCH 1
WASHINGTON THAT NO MAJOR DIFFICULTIES WOULD ARISE
TO ACCEPT SWISS PROPOSAL FOR AN EXCHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN
STATE DEPT OR CAB AND FEDERAL AIR OFFICE IN WHICH EACH PARTY
WOULD CONFIRM ITS AGREEMENT AT LEAST FOR AN INTERIM PERIOD UP
TO DECEMBER 31, 1974, TO ACCEPT AS CHARTER-WORTHY TRANSATLANTIC
ADVANCE BOOKING CHARTERS ORIGINATED IN THE TERRITORY OF
THE OTHER PARTY AND ORGANIZED AND OPERATED PURSUANT TO
THE LAW OF THAT PARTY. DUE TO TOP URGENCY OF MATTER AND
CONSIDERABLE FINANCIAL COMMITMENT BALAIR, US SUPPLEMENTALS,
AND SWISS TOUR OPERATORS, I RECOMMEND ON BASIS OF OUR DISCUSSION
THAT, PENDING TERMINATION OF YOUR INTERNAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESS
FOR FINAL DECISION, CHARTER CARRIERS PURSUE THEIR 1974 ABC PROGRAM
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TO USA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SWISS LAW. I HAVE TO INFORM YOU

THAT UNTIL MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE SOLUTION REACHED RE OPERATION SWISS
ORIGINATING TRAFFIC, THE FEDERAL AIR OFFICE MUST ENVISAGE TO
WITHHOLD ALL APPLICATIONS FROM US CARRIERS FOR CHARTER FLIGHTS
IN 1974. HOPE YOUR FAVORABLE ANSWER IS FORTHCOMING SHORTLY.
KIND REGARDS. FEDERAL AIR OFFICE BERN, CHARLES STURZENEGGER.
END QUOTE.
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